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Sir:

This is in response to the Final Rejection dated June 9, 2004 in Paper No. 18. The rejections as they pertain to the patentability of the claims are hereby respectfully traversed.